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## "See You In Church Sunday"

### The Signs of the Times

Governor G. Mennen William's program for the state corporation profits tax is "strictly political", according to John L. Lovett, general manager, Michigan Manufacturers Association. "It is the application of the philosophy of the present leaders of the C. I. O.", states Lovett.

I wish I might say to the business men of Michigan that its state government wants you to go here. I wish I might say to the young men who want to go to business that Michigan is a friendly state. I wish I might say those with capital to invest that Michigan welcomes you.

I wish I might say that in the statehouse there is a governor whose administration wants to make Michigan a better place to live in and better to own a business in.

I regret that I cannot make this statement truthfully. At every crossroads in the state the governor is telling the people that wants to make the corporations in Michigan pay a four per cent income tax."

It is a characteristic of direct taxes to pyramid the tax cost to the consumer observes Lovett. As the income tax must be added to the cost of the product, the corporation has to add its overhead if it is going to stay in business and arrive at a selling price. Thus the four per cent tax may easily become six per cent by the time it is added into final selling price paid by the consumer.

As the people of Michigan on different occasions voted by large majority against a state income tax, Lovett believes that a corporation income tax would be promptly taken to court for test of constitutionality.

Corporations in Michigan now

approximately 50 per cent of property taxes paid in the state, states Lovett. "This tax amounts to about \$200 million per year. General Motors Corporation in the city of Pontiac pay 44 percent of the total taxes of that city. In Flint it probably pays a larger proportion, and it would be a similar proportion in Saginaw, Bay City or Lansing."

Furthermore corporations in Michigan pay a rather high unemployment compensation tax rate, compared with corporations in adjoining states such as Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Wisconsin.

In minimum is one percent,

in these other states the unemployment compensation tax goes down as low as four cents of one per cent.

We used to say that Michigan was a good place to run a factory because we had highly skilled labor which was very productive," continued Lovett. "We paid high wages and got the best workers. However, with the restrictions put on the unions we can no longer rely upon the larger man production to meet competition in other states. The surrounding states average 40 cents an hour lower wage than Michigan, so the labor advantage today has been entirely removed.

Utilities in Michigan have spent millions of dollars in bringing natural gas and cheap fuels. That is important to the state. However, last few years has seen a great reduction in the number of industries operating in Michigan.

Just in mid-January, two

which had been in Detroit

60 years announced they were moving to adjoining states.

The Chicago Pneumatic Fuel Company came to Detroit with the

trucks Adding Machine Company.

The Diamond Farn Special

Company was born, and de-

veloped in Michigan.

In Muskegon at least five old

substantial industries have

closed their doors. There are various plants in Jackson and Port Huron.

Large automobile companies are

paying on a widespread de-

centralization program. Why? "There is a general feeling among Mich-

iganians that the state weather bureau

is not doing its job," says Mr. Lovett.

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ATES READ FOR

BERT LUNCEFORD

Services were held at the Wil-

R. Hamilton Funeral Parlors,

day at 1 A. M. for Robert

son Lunceford of Grosse

Point, deputy wing commander of

Civil Air Patrol, who died

Wednesday, in Phoenix,

Arizona. Mr. Lunceford, 55, had

been there for his health last De-

ember.

World War I pilot, he was

down and tumbled uncon-

sciously into a shell hole filled with tank gas. He received lung damage believed to have contrib-

uted to his death.

Mr. Lunceford was well known

Detroit automotive circles for

years, serving much of that

as manufacturers agent for

various textile firm.

Job, as he was called by his

friends, spent a great deal of time

Grayling. He was an avid

fisherman and a companion of Roy

Geiger and Sam Barrett on

various hunting and fishing trips.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs.

Blankert Luncefond, a

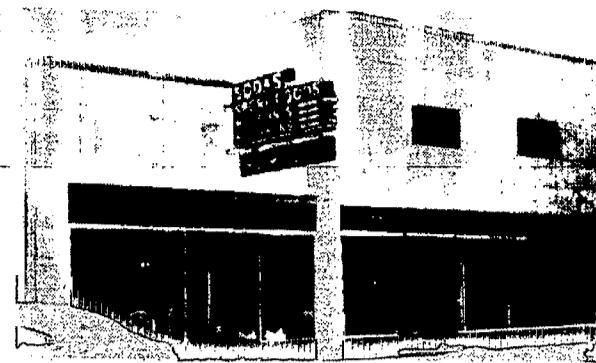
daughter, Barbara Jane, and a

son.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudeau attended the final rites in Detroit on

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### More Grayling Progress



—Photo by Hauxwell.

Two buildings owned by Horluf Soronon, one housing his sporting goods store and the other which will soon be rented, are pictured above after an extensive front modernization program was carried out. The front is finished in enameled steel tile and glass block and has the most modern appearance. This is another move by a Grayling merchant to move forward with the improvement of his property which at the same time makes Grayling look very prosperous. The past year or two has brought many changes to Michigan Avenue, Grayling's Main Street.

## Vikings Meet Hillman-Gaylord Winner Tonight In Tourney

### Dump Blue Devils In Season Finale

The Grayling High Vikings are scheduled to meet the winner of the last night Hillman-Gaylord contest tonight in the Gaylord gym in the High School District Basketball Tournament.

Alpena St. Anne and Atlanta clash tomorrow night with the winner of that contest meeting the winner of tonight's encounter for the District Championship on Saturday night at Gaylord.

Grayling wound up their regular season schedule here last Thursday night by revenging themselves on the Gaylord Blue Devils by a 42 to 40 score with Viking Guard Pee wee Laurent slipping in a field goal in the last minute.

It was a tight, hard played ball game all the way with the exception of the first few minutes when Gaylord jumped into a 8 to 2 lead. The Vikings clawed their way back up and the score was deadlocked at the halfway mark.

At the end of the third quarter, Grayling had bugged out 7 point lead and what looked like an easy victory. The Blue Devils from

Gaylord brought the crowd to their feet as the 4th period started by scoring 5 points in 27 seconds to put them right back in the ball game.

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## WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

**For Rent**  
**Lost or Found**  
**For Sale**  
**Wanted to Buy**  
**Miscellaneous**

**RATES**—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words, one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

**HANDSAW FILING**—Any kind, also knives, axes, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or any thing you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia. Phone 4961. 7-24 tf.

**DRESS MAKING**—Alterations and other types of sewing wanted. Mrs. Hatley. Phone 4861. 2-10 tf.

**PHOTO FINISHING**, developing, printing, enlarging. 3 day service. Leave films at Dad Hanson's Sporting Goods, Callahan's Sunoco Service, 101 McClellan. Hauxwell Photo Service, 802 Plum St., Grayling. Phone 44 66. April 14 tf.

**FOR NEW BUILDING**, alterations or repairs, foundation to roof, fireplaces, chimneys, tile floors laid. Nelson S. Wyman, Grayling. Phone 4531 or call Martin's Hi-Speed. 1-19 tf.

**FOR SALE**—The Jorgenson home on Maple Street. 2 bedrooms, living, dining, kitchen and bath. Full basement, steam furnace. 2 car garage. A nice location. \$4,350. Art Clough Realty, Grayling. Phone 4174. 4-14 tf.

**RIETH THE WATCHMAKER**—If Rieth can't repair your watch, throw it away. We have repaired over 75,000 watches and clocks. We buy old gold, watches, clocks, diamonds, shot-guns and rifles. Mail or bring to Ed C. Rieth, Rieth Haven, Grayling. Near Wakeley Bridge. Phone 4174. 4-14 tf.

**FOR SALE**—Large home on Spruce Street. 3 bedrooms up, 1 down, living room, parlor, dining, kitchen and bath. All oak floors. Full basement with stoker steam furnace. Garage. Near school. Good buy at \$5,700. Art Clough Realty, City. 12-8 tf.

**CAN FURNISH** machine made button holes. Mrs. Ed. Bowen, 704 Ionia, St. Phone 4341, City. 10-13 tf.

**SNOWPLOWING** OF DRIVEWAYS by the hour or by the season. Call the Hi-Speed Station. Phone 2241. 12-1 tf.

**FOR SALE**—Wood, green maple \$5 a cord, or dry tamarack \$4.50 a cord. Clyde D. Lozon, Star Route. 2-9 tf.

**CAN FURNISH** machine made button holes. Mrs. Ed. Bowen, 704 Ionia St. Phone 4341, City. 10-13 tf.

**HOME LIGHTING** PLANT WANTED—Send description, price and directions to location. Box 61, Charlevoix. 16-23-5

**WANTED TO BUY**—Barnyard fertilizer by the load or ton at your farm. Highest price paid. Phone or write. Claude Bille, R. 2, Traverse City. Phone 2219W5. 16-23-5

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Late model Quick Way truck crane with drag and clam bucket. In A-1 condition. For more information, phone or write. Claude Bille, R. 2, Traverse City. Phone 2219W5. 16-23-5

**PAPER TABLE CLOTH**—50 ft. roll \$5.25. Avalanche Office. 11-23 tf.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment, all modern. Heat, hot water furnished. Electric range, refrigerator. Quiet, desirable location. Newly decorated. 100 Michigan Ave. Phone 4047. 2-23 tf.

**MIMEOGRAPH PAPER**, 8 1/2 x 11, in 500 sheet packages. Avalanche Office. 11-23 tf.

**WANTED TO BUY**—2 1/2 or 3 H. P. 4 cycle air cooled gasoline engine. Call or see George Hanson at Parsons & Lamm Service Station. 2

**"SPECIAL EVERY MONDAY**—100 large type "Alaskan" Leg horn cockerel chicks and 100 size electric brooder. only \$7.00 postpaid." Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling Mich. 3-2 tf.

**WANTED**—Women to make telephone survey for large insurance organization. Pleasant work from your own home. Unlimited telephone necessary. Contact Miss Valli, 314 Michigan Bldg., Detroit, Mich., giving your address and telephone number. 2

**BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY**—We are offering you a rare opportunity to purchase at a very low price, the Dore Mfg. Co. land and building next to the main corner of the City of Grayling, on US-27. The building is 80 ft. x 100 ft., and very suitable for offices, garage, salesroom, manufacturing, roller rink, community building, or for most any other purpose. There are 65 ft x 20 ft. of land in front of present building, that modern stores could be built upon, and rented for a goodly income. This must be sold. For further information call our office, write or phone 5352, Roscommon, Mich. Carl J. McNamara Real Estate broker. 3-2 tf.

**'41 CHEVROLET**—5 passenger coupe for sale. Call 4182. 2

**SOME LAND**—3 cabins, and house for sale. On US-27. All modern cabins. Call 4182. 2

## Legion Auxiliary News

The Legion Auxiliary gave a Pinochle party February 20 to raise money for the polio drive. Twenty-three members and guests were present. John Selesky and Mrs. Clara Sorenson held high scores and Carl Richardson and Mrs. Susie Boesley held low. Betty LaChappelle received the peony prize.

Serving on committee were Margaret Tinker, chairman; Mrs. Emma Knibbs, Mrs. Lillian Ryan, Mrs. Lillian King and Mrs. Pearl Mathews. Cherry pie and coffee were served.

Margaret M. Balch, Publicity Chairman.

## Northern Lights

## 7TH GRADE PARTY

On Friday, February 17th the Seventh Grade entertained the Eighth Grade at a party in the High School gym. The Seventh Grade class officers, Bob LaMotte, president; Denise Sorenson, vice-president; Patty Thompson, secretary; Donald Stephan, treasurer; and Jim Bishaw, Student Council Representative, served as a general arrangement committee. The following committees were appointed:

Lunch: Chairman, Judy Munsie with Dorothy Watkins; Margaret LaGrow, Lila Bunker, Jean Malloy and Georgianne Lutz as helpers.

Decorating: Chairman, Carolyn Sampsel with Cory Davenport, Betty Harney, Peter Stephan and Shirley May as helpers.

Entertainment: Chairman, Richard Klein with Jerry Boone, Roy LaMotte, Charles Keway, Dale Pettingill, Tom Lamm as helpers.

The tidy-up committee composed of the class officers and Ronald Nelson, Charles Brown, Larry Ashton, J. C. King, Jerry Boone and Jeanette Cook.

Games and dancing were enjoyed during the evening. At nine o'clock a lunch of sandwiches, cookies, cake and pop was served from an attractively decorated table. Mrs. Milnes, Mr. Gierke and Mr. Fenton sponsored the group. Bob Horning of the ninth grade was in charge of the public address system.

## FORTH GRADE NEWS

Time for Report Cards again and we find only five who have been neither tardy or absent for the period. These are Frances Akers, Larry Andrews, Tommy Edwards, Betty Horning and Connie LaGrow.

We have been having a reading contest each week, choosing sides and reading in turn, by paragraphs. The rules say that if a word is missed, more or less than a paragraph, read, or if the person has to be reminded of their turn, they are down. It usually takes until Friday of each week to eliminate down to the final winner.

The winners have been Judy Larsen, Georgia Luckstead, Sherry Gowing, Gladia Jensen and Frances Akers, and the winner wears the Little Gold Horse pin until someone else wins. We have almost read through one reader and everyone watches for mistakes. It's fun.

We have just received a Giant Golden Book as a prize for selling the most Christmas seals. This recognition comes from the State Tuberculosis Association in Lansing, and is the second time the Fourth Grade has had the prize.

The hard work with the multiplication tables has let up a bit and those who have done satisfactory work have begun the paintings for the Geography stories. The illustrations of the people in the different locations and climates make wonderful remembrances of the stories. Those having finished are Ronny Hosmer, "Bunga", Larry Andrews, "Sullivan's Father", Tommy Hatley, "On the Congo River with Simba"; Billy Bennett, "Gathering Coconuts", and George Luckstead "Jungle Radio". Several others have started and we soon should have some more, so come in and see them. We'd like to have you.

Connie Davis has been having a nice vacation in Florida, and Wesley Emert and Helen Sturdivant have been having another kind of vacation with the chicken-pox. We hope they will be back soon.

The T. N. T. Club wish to remind everyone that this Saturday, March 4, is Community night at the Town Hall. Though anyone in the community is welcome at any time, they especially urge you to come and share their fun dancing on the first Saturday of each month. Come and bring your friends. Potluck lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Petersen and children of Mt. Pleasant spent the week end here with his sisters, Mrs. Christine Feldhauser, Martha Petersen and their father, Henry Petersen.

Barbara Plagen was hostess to a group of young folks Friday evening at a toboggan party.

Gloria J. Feldhauser and Ed Reith of Mt. Pleasant spent Sunday at the Ed Feldhauser home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Selfridge and Rolland Wilcox of Flint spent the week end here at the Wilcox home.

R. L. Jackson, P. S. — Write your congressman.

Letters To The Editor

Grayling, Michigan, February 27, 1950.

Dear Editor:

It seems that something always grows as other things diminish. Take the horse, it is getting less and less by the year, but asses are more than taking their place.

The horse was an asset, while the asses destroy property, beat up their fellow man who only wishes to make an honest living. The larger the eyebrows the more destructive the ass. So you take asses multiplied by asses and it makes it very uncomfortable for the masses.

R. L. Jackson, P. S. — Write your congressman.

GOOD USED CARS

BOUGHT SOLD TRADED

See Us First

BURGERS Motor Sales

Grayling, Mich.

## Grayling Bowling League

## Men's Division

Hanson's Chevrolet	18
Ron's Hardware	17
AuSable Hotel	16
Sorenson's Funeral Home	16
Clough Realty	14
Altes Lager	13
Long's Market	12
Wayside Inn	12
Davis Jewelry	11
Grayling Restaurant	10
Tufts' Texaco	10
Pure Oil	9
Hoerl's Tavern	9
Long's Coffee Shoppe	9
Spike's Keg	8
Bruun's Insurance	8

## Women's Division

## Week of February 21, 1950

W. L.

1. Tip Top Togs

66 22

2. Dawsons

56 32

3. Spikes

53 35

4. Plaza Grill

51 37

5. Bear Archery

50 38

6. Hansen's Chevrolets

48 40

7. Sorenson's Spt. Gds.

47 41

8. Horse Shoe Lake Inn

46 42

9. Weavers

43 45

10. Shirley's Shoppe

42 46

Bennett is fifth with 168, and Jack Legge with 168 is sixth. Dennis Denewitt is seventh with 166. Bob Bennett is eighth, Harold Jarmin ninth and Roy Milnes tenth, all with 165 averages. They are separated only by extra pins.

Spikes' Recreation

40 48

12. Kennedy's

39 49

13. Church Electric

31 57

14. Olson's Shoes

28 60

15. Duke's Hotel

26 62

Individual Single High Game:

Gladys Koerper 228, Louise Kasper 217 Jean Rasmussen 198, Margaret Cook 190, Rose Duley 184.

Individual 3 Game High: G.

Koerper 528, C. Pawloski 498, L. Kasper 493, M. Cook 466, E. Burch 463.

Team Single High Game: Bear

Archery 802, Dawsons 761, Duke's

Hotel 747, AuSable Hotel 730, Sorenson's 719.

Team 3 Game High: Bear Archery 2257, Dawsons 2092, Church Electric 2054, Spikes 2050, Au-

Sable Hotel 2030.

Individual High Averages: E.

Burch 155, M. Cook 146, C.

erson 148, J. Mathewson 14

Kasper 143.

Don't forget the captains

ing at President Ella Wilcox

Th.

SEE WHAT \$1 CASH WILL BUY AT PAYNE'S MARKET

10 cans Plymouth Maid Corn, only \$1.00

7 cans American Leader, No. 2 cans, only \$1.00

8 cans Sauerkraut, 2 1/2 can

## Crawford Avalanche

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, March 2, 1950

## All May Help

The Red Cross this year reminds us that "All May Help" in the organization's wide-spread humanitarian work. That slogan is the theme of the 1950 fund campaign. It has a personal meaning to every American.

Each day thousands of those who want to help and thousands of those who need help are brought together through the Red Cross for the most heart-warming "swap" in mankind's history. It is a very personal exchange, this barter of the impulse to aid for the pain, the suffering, the worry, the life of a fellow man in distress. And it is a swap with wide appeal. Last year 1,450,000 Red Cross volunteers proved that with tens of millions of hours of service.

We are lucky in America that the balance between those in need and those ready to meet that need is so favorable. We are a generous people. Our hearts are warm, our hands ready to help. Let us make sure that the balance never shifts, that no cry for aid ever goes unheeded.

One sure way of guaranteeing that the work of mercy will never end is to support your Red Cross. Support it in every way that you can—with your time, your energy, your money. All are needed, and each one of us can contribute some part of the total.

That is what the Red Cross means when it says that "All May Help."

For months the nation has been kept in a state of confusion by uncertainty about its coal supplies.

Under the rule of the U. M. W. coal production has ceased while contract negotiations were pending.

The issue has been used as a political football until the flouting of the public welfare has become a scandal.

The country is now face to face with the spectre of mob rule or rule by law.

There should be no question of the outcome—law must prevail.

RIALTO  
GRAYLING NIGHT Picture 2411

Program for Week of March 3 to March 9

And Baby Makes  
Three  
—Starring—Robert Young and  
Barbara Hale

ALSO

## SAVAGE SPENCER

Wild West Africa

In Technicolor

Color Cartoon

## Montana

—Starring—

Alexis Smith, Errol Flynn

Now

Sunday Show  
Continuous From  
8 P.M.

Color Cartoon

## Sands of Iwo Jima

—Starring—

John Agar, Adele Mara

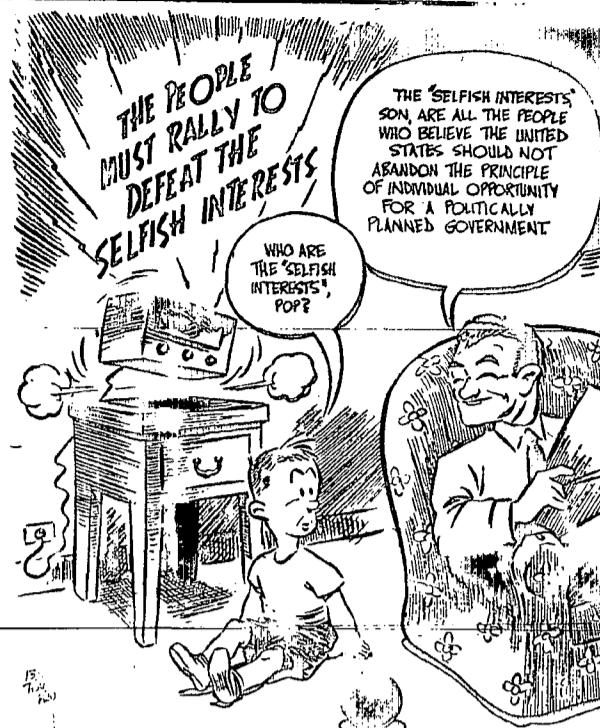
John Wayne

Last Feature Story  
1950 P.M.

J. McDonald

Program Subject To Change

## THE AMERICAN WAY



Now Even Junior Understands

Interesting Events In  
Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

March 3, 1927

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Salisbury of Bay City were in Grayling Monday to attend the affair given for L. H. Chamberlin.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. McCann are enjoying a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Roland McCann and two children of Charlevoix. The gentlemen are brothers.

Jerry Sherman purchased the soft drink and pool room business of James Post located in the former Boeson block. This block is now owned by H. Hanson and Tony Nelson.

The Frank LaMotte family has returned to Grayling to take up their residence, having resided in Dexter the past year.

Mrs. Harry Hum has gone to Bay City where she is serving in the capacity of juror in Federal Court.

Several people within the past week have purchased old buildings from Helper and Clinkofteine and are having them removed to their property to be rebuilt into private garages.

Eddie Trudeau has resigned his position as auto mechanic for T. E. Douglas, the local Nash dealer, to go to Santa Barbara, Calif. R. D. Shoff has been engaged to take his place.

Mrs. Jacob Miller is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Johnson.

Wednesday evening the Us-Ten Club was entertained at the apartment of Miss Claribel Lovely. The game of hearts was the diversion of the evening. Luanna Lutz was a guest of the club.

A daughter, Ruth Geraldine was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Golnick of Detroit, Friday, Feb.

OTTO HAZARD

THE FASTER YOU DRIVE  
THE LONGER IT TAKES  
TO USE YOUR HEAD  
AND APPLY THE BRAKES!

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Lydel was in Grayling over the weekend visiting his mother and friends. The young man has been employed in Detroit the past year and came for a visit before going to California in company with C. O. Olivarius and Edward Trudeau.

John Cowell of the Novelty Ball Company has placed on exhibit in the R. D. Connine Grocery Store a handsome lot of samples of the product of that firm.

M. A. Bates received a telegram from his son, Lt. Russel Bates, now stationed at Sandy Hook, N. J., saying that he has been ordered to transfer to the Philippines May 18th.

The Misses Idessa King, Mildred Ostrander and Beatrice Brott took a hiking trip last Sunday afternoon to the George Annis farm, starting back by way of Three Sister Hill. While going along this route they saw an object in the road and took it to be a wild animal—girl fashion. They were quite frightened and turning back home by M-14. A passing car gave them a lift to town.

The girls basketball team of G. H. S. played Boyne City February 25, winning 26-22. The line up was center, Luella Tiffin; R. center, Ruth Chamberlain; R. guard, Florence Lindahl; L. guard, Martha Bidvia; R. forward, Gertrude Loskos, Libby Matson; L. forward, Azilda LaGrow.

48 Years Ago—March 6, 1902

Miss Mary Jorgenson has gone to Mason and Jackson for a visit.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parker of Beaver Creek, February 26th, a son.

J. O. Goudrow has repainted and furnished his store and now has one of the neatest salesrooms in the state.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunter have taken up housekeeping in part of the Wm. Callahan store in Frederic.

J. Bourke returned from the great west last week, filled with the grandeur of that country. He was in a bad railroad wreck while he was gone.

M. Hanson was threatened with

a hold up as he was going home a few evenings ago but his umbrella assumed the position of a soldier's bayonet and the footpad fled.

Charles Butler has sold his home to Frany Ayres and with his family will move to Jackson next week.

County School Commissioner Charles E. Hicks died at his home in Maple Forest, February 27, after 10 days illness with pneumonia.

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Representing Alma on the affirmative was Virginia Benson, Itasca, Gloria Moore, Grayling.

Phyllis Hayward, Detroit, and Peggy McQuaid, Alma. The negative was upheld by Peggy Powers, Saginaw, Janice Bleil, Detroit, Gwen LaClare, Detroit, and Eileen Probst, Ithaca.



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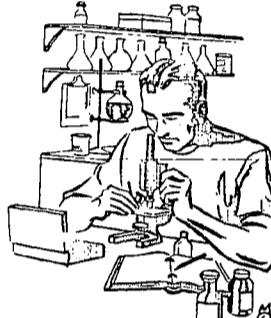
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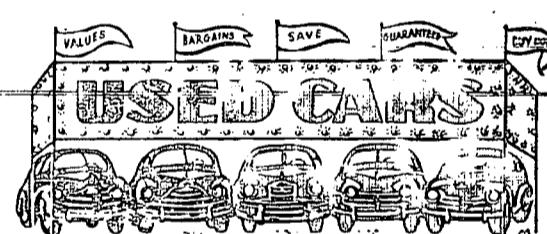
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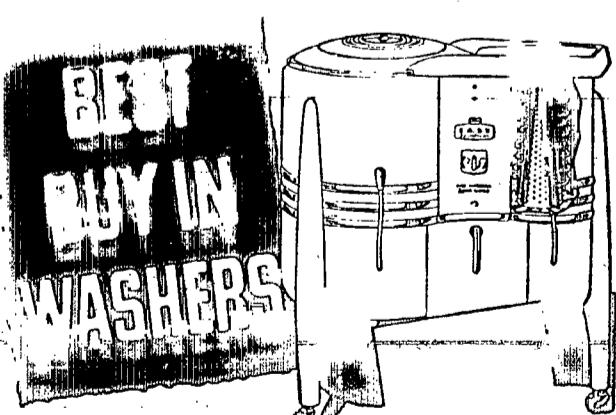
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Church School 10:00 A. M.  
Divine Worship: 11:00 A. M.  
Youth Fellowship: 6:30 P. M.

GRAYLING EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Pastor — Svend Holm  
9:45 A. M. — Sunday School  
11:00 A. M. — Worship

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11:15 A. M. — Morning Service.  
10:00 A. M. — Sunday School.  
6:45 P. M. — Young People.  
7:30 P. M. — Evening Worship.

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Pastor —

10:00 A. M. — Sunday School.  
11:00 A. M. — Church Services.  
7:30 P. M. — Evening Services.  
7:30 P. M. — Wednesday — Prayer Meeting.

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## Range Rider

By Richard HILL WILKINSON

CHUCK HANSON and Baldy Davis, range riders for the Circle H cattle outfit, were pretty disgusted the day young Johnny Howard rode into their camp and handed them a note signed by Old Man Hadley, the Circle H's owner. The note read in part:

"This will introduce Johnny Howard from New York, the son of an old friend of mine.

He wants to be a real cowboy and I'm sending him out to you boys. Show him the ropes. Jim."

Summoning Baldy, Chuck led the way out of earshot.

"Ain't the boss cute?" he said sarcastically. "Handin' us this nurse maid's job. By Gad, one day Jim Hadley will go too far."

"The way I figure it," said Baldy, "the boss is passin' the buck. Since this fashion-plate is the son of a friend he can't just give him the works and send him home, so he puts it up to us."

Chuck spat and scratched his head. "By gum, mebbe you're right. Shucks, that's it exactly! Come on, we gotta do like he asks. We'll make a cow hand outta this dude or die tryin'."

They returned to the camp where waited Johnny. "O. K., feller," Baldy said. "The boss allows we gotta make a cow hand outta yuh. Your first lesson is to get down off that flea-bitten nag you're a-straddle and learn to stick on a real hoss."

"Well," said Johnny, "I was wondering if I was going to have to ride this old crow bait."

Chuck and Baldy exchanged meaning looks. Baldy went out to the corral and returned leading a sleek-looking black that kept his ears laid back permanently just to show folks how he felt about any one who thought he could ride him.

Confidently Johnny swung aboard while the two range riders climbed to the top rail of the corral fence. Baldy was a little nervous.

The black, with Johnny astride him, suddenly galvanized into action. It shot straight into the air and came down with all four legs as solid as gate posts. It sunfished and buckled and bucked. It got down and rolled over, brushed against the fence, reared on all fours, plunged and bucked some more. And presently, sweating and blowing, it stood docile and Johnny Howard was still on its back. Johnny grinned at the open-mouthed spectators.

THE RANGE RIDERS rubbed their eyes. The thing that had happened was like an hallucination. They weren't convinced. Chuck slid down off the corral.

"We'll now go into lesson number two," he remarked, "which includes bulldoggin'. Ever bulldog a steer, mister?"

Without waiting for the dude's reply, Chuck, who had won laurels as a bulldogger, galloped after a steer, threw and roped him in record time. Pleased and swaggering he returned. "See how it's done?" he asked.

"Yes," said Johnny. "I see. Mind

the black, with Johnny astride him, suddenly galvanized into action.

If I try it on that big steer?"

He tried it. He threw and roped the big steer in three seconds less time than Chuck.

After a roping exhibition Johnny, without being challenged, produced a six-gun and demonstrated some fast and accurate shooting. In fact, it was so fast and so accurate that Baldy and Chuck didn't offer to exploit their own prowess.

When the shooting was over, the range riders went into a huddle. Presently they returned to Johnny. Chuck stuck out his hand. "Mister, we hereby apologize. We know when we're licked."

Johnny grinned. "Well," he said, "I reckon that was Uncle Jim's idea. At first when he found out I was a circus performer he saw a chance to play a joke on you boys. I learned all my stuff in a circus. I got to be pretty good, because I liked the work. In fact, I liked it so well, I decided to become a real cowboy. The truth is, I don't know a darned thing about cow-punching and I'd appreciate it a heap if you boys would let me stay and teach me a few things."

"Teach you!" declared Chuck. "Hail Muster, consider yourself 'thomoo'."

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**ANGUS WARD RELAXES** . . . Angus Ward, former United States consul general to the government of China, who was jailed for 52 days in Mukden by Chinese Reds and made to undergo rigorous detention, relaxes before the fireplace in the home of his brother at Allegan, Mich. The consul general, when asked by reporters, refused to comment on the recognition by Britain's government of Communist China or on President Truman's recently pronounced "hands-off" policy on Formosa. The nationalist government of China has taken refuge on the island and expects Communist attack any time.

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#### Down River Notes

##### 4-H NEWS

The pupils of Feldhauser School have organized two 4-H Clubs, one archery group under the leadership of Mr. Fred Ward, and one sewing group with Mrs. Marguerite Leslie as leader.

The sewing club consists of five members and will be known as the Sisson Snips. February 8 was the first meeting, held at Mrs. Leslie's house. Officers were elected as follows: President, Helen Majeska; vice president, Mickey Mikesell; secretary, Janet Schults; reporter, Mary Jan Wakeley; entertainment, Frances Bushamp. The last meeting was in the form of a Valentine party. After the business meeting and our lesson our hostess served slices of delicious Valentine cake. The meeting was adjourned and Mrs. W. H. Mikesell took us all home.

##### SCHOOL NEWS

Helen Majeska and Charles Ward were the only pupils absent last week.

One of our pupils, Bill Holzman is spending the winter in Texas. The sixth grade have been working on a U. S. Geography project showing the main rivers and mountains.

Little Debby Sue Wys visited school last Tuesday for our Valentine party.

The boys activities will appear next week.

Mary J. Wakeley,  
Reporter.

#### Northern City Officials Meet At Alpena

A special regional meeting for city and village officials was held in Alpena for the counties of Cheboygan, Presque Isle, Otsego, Montmorency, Alpena, Crawford, Oscoda, Alcona, Roscommon, Ogemaw and Iosco on February 15, 1950.

This meeting was arranged by the Michigan Municipal League, the organization of cities and villages in Michigan, to provide an opportunity for municipal officials to discuss their problems on an informal basis.

Special attention was focused on the matter of Highway Legislation and Reapportionment during the course of the meeting. The executive director of the Good Roads Federation spoke, and League staff members were present to assist in answering questions presented by members of the group. Questions were presented in impromptu from the floor and officials presented written questions to the director, who presided at the meeting.

All municipal officials were urged to attend this meeting in their area. Officials from non-member cities and villages were also cordially invited to attend. No registration fee was charged as the meetings are being sponsored as a membership service of the Michigan Municipal League.

The meeting headquarters was at the Alpena City Hall.

#### M. S. C. Compares New Corn Hybrids

During 1948 and 1949 Michigan State College ran 16 trials at eight different locations to compare a group of early new hybrid corn varieties with the present Michigan certified hybrids. Elmer Rossman, who is in charge of the corn breeding work for the farm Bureau Department at the college,

reports two of the new hybrids look most promising.

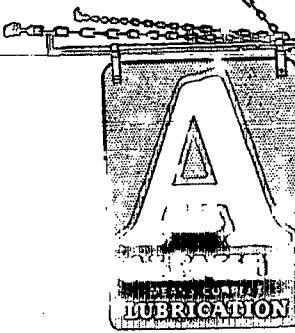
The second promising new hybrid mentioned by Rossman is experimental Michigan 381 which appears to be adapted to the northern and northcentral areas where Michigan 11A and 51B are widely grown. During the two-year tests it has given 23% more corn than Michigan 11A and nine per cent more corn than Michigan 51B. It tassels and silks three or four days later than Michigan 11B and at about the same time as 51B. It has a desirable characteristic of not drying in the field and

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ACEBOSS	42. God	18. Milkfish	32. Unadvisable
1. Male swan	of	13. Tangled	33. Cover
4. A club	pleasure	15. Tree	the
7. Book	(Egypt.)	17. Ten cents	inside of
8. New	of	18. Frozen	37. Pen point
Testament	DOWN	19. Little girl	38. Sick
9. One of	1. God of	22. Casks	39. Spawn of fish
the	love	23. Before	
Great Lakes	(Rom.)	24. Gazelle	
10. Weight	3. Weight	(Tibet)	
Mimicked	11. Bottom	25. Light	
Paddle-like	of	bedstead	
processes	a river	26. Dope	
12. Cuckoo	6. To obscure	28. Grouches	
13. Turf	5. Dry	of peace	
14. Therefore	6. Metal	29. Not many	
15. Marriage	7. Narrow	31. Plant	
ceremony	roadways	insects	
16. Body of	8. City (Ger.)		
water			
20. Like			
31. River			
(So. Am.)			
22. A twirl			
In rope			
23. Comes into			
view			
25. Center			
27. Record			
of			
a ship's			
voyage			
28. Whether			
30. Open (poet.)			
31. A gauge			
33. Music note			
34. Cover			
35. Fresh			
36. The least			
whole			
number			
(Math.)			
38. Persia			
40. Belonging			
to me			
41. An easy,			
swinging			
gait			

## Road Commissioners Minutes

January 5, 1950.  
Regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.  
Present: Chester Lozon, George Skingley and Elmer Corsaut of the Board of Supervisors held at the Road Commission office in Grayling.

Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman Chester Lozon.

Minutes of the last regular and one special meeting were read and approved.

Motion by Chester Lozon, supported by Elmer Corsaut that bills No. 1 through 35 be allowed as read. All voting in favor.

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## BITS 'O' TALK

will be in Grayling at Shoppenagons Annex on Thursday, March 9. For appointment call 3598 or 4441.

Tuesday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Carl Richardson last week. Mrs. Dale Pettengill was co-hostess. Mrs. Leonard Knibbs held high score and Mrs. Joseph Stripe low.

Social evening each Sunday night at 8 P. M. at St. Mary's. Games will be played. Public invited.

Mrs. Walter Truettnier is spending some time in Iron Mountain visiting her brother.

"See You in Church Sunday." Rev. R. C. Puffer was the guest speaker of the Gaylord Kiwanis Club last Thursday evening. The meeting was their pre-Easter meeting in support of churches and the third of its kind at which Rev. Puffer had been asked to speak.

March 18, Hospital Aid Bake Sale. Shoppenagons Inn.

For the duration of the coal shortage the Grayling Laundry will be closed Wednesday and Saturday. Phone calls will be taken until noon on both days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cruz and four children of Alma spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser. Marguerite Leske returned home with them for a visit.

"See You in Church Sunday." Several ladies dropped in at the home of Mrs. Hansine Hanson last Wednesday afternoon for coffee and to wish her a happy birthday. A family dinner was enjoyed in the evening.

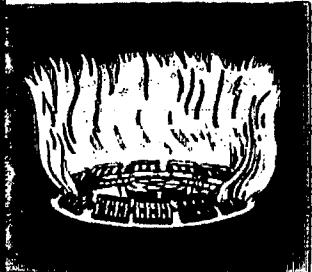
Home baked goods given at the V. F. W. Auxiliary party on Saturday, March 4, at 8 P. M. at Grayling Grange Hall. 50c per person. Public invited.

Edwin LeButt is attending Adrian College, where he is taking a pre-education course.

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OLSON'S



Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Lovely, of Grayling, above, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary at their home here Tuesday. Monday night a party was held in their honor.

George Schable, Jr., Monday evening.

Mrs. Bertha Peterson left for Detroit Monday to visit Mrs. A. E. Michelson.

"See You in Church Sunday."

Mrs. Oscar Schumann was hostess at a one o'clock potluck luncheon Tuesday of last week in honor of Mrs. Walter Truettnier and Mrs. Carl Johnson.

A group of ten people enjoyed dinner at Shoppenagons Inn last Wednesday evening in celebration of Mrs. Harold MacNeven's birthday.

"See You in Church Sunday."

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace C. Strobel of Saginaw were week end guests at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Strobel of Lake Margrethe.

Donna Carlson who is in nurses training at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Ed Carlson.

"See You in Church Sunday."

Esborn Olson, Jr., returned to Racine, Wisconsin, Tuesday, after spending the week end with his mother and brother, Nels, and family.

"See You in Church Sunday."

The Don Shepperleys have moved into the Rasmussen apartment on Michigan Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kraus are vacationing in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Serven and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan visited the Wm. Christensons in Mackinaw City, Saturday, and the Christensons spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Robert Boeve.

Mrs. Norman May and son, Michael James, are at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bugby. Mr. May drove her up from Mt. Pleasant on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Gierke have purchased the Basil Regan home at 900 Maple Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin entertained with three tables of Canasta on Saturday evening. Frank Bond held high score for the men and Mrs. Bond for the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gardiner and son, Michael, of Wyandotte spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley.

"See You in Church Sunday."

Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley and Mrs. Frank Denz spent Monday in Traverse City.

The office of Dr. L. F. Hayes will be closed on March 8, 9 and 10, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, as Dr. Hayes will be in Detroit in attendance at the Michigan State Medical Society Post Graduate meeting held at the Book Cadillac Hotel.

North Branch

(Too Late for Last Week)

In Mrs. Frank Woods news from Florida she states "Michigan seems to be faring quite well." She should see us now!!!

Mrs. J. E. Kellogg and Mrs. Clayton Kellogg went to Standish on Monday last, to attend the funeral of Adolph F. Hango. Many older residents will remember Mrs. Bertha Hango-Kellogg as a former school teacher here and resident of Lovelle before her death several years ago. Her father was a life long resident of Sterling. Mr. Hango was 84.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and family went to W. St. Branch on Sunday. They were guests of Mr. Johnson's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griesen. At a belated Christmas dinner.

Charles Kellogg and William Miller were in Mid. Tuesday, on business.

Birthday wishes this week go to Miss Barbara Johnson, who on Monday, February 20, celebrated her thirteenth birthday. Happy birthday Barbara.

Even though the Frederic team lost to Bayne Falls on Friday night, the trip in the Lovells school bus was enjoyed by all. Better luck next time, boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kellogg and sons of Frederic were Sunday guests of the former's mother, Mrs. J. E. Kellogg. Good luck Elmer in your new barber shop. We sincerely hope you get a chance to clip a lot of people.

Bill Pocheon came up to enjoy this wonderful winter sports weather last week end.

Mrs. Clayton Kellogg and Bill attended services in charge of Mr. Elmer Den Arend at Calvary Baptist Church on Friday evening. Mr. Den Arend showed pictures of the Nazi horror camps in Germany. I wonder if we realize how well off we are.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and family motored to Bay City on Friday.

Charles Kellogg and William Miller were in Saginaw on business on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vance and Donna of Luzerne, John Kellogg

## FETED WITH SHOWERS

On Friday evening Mrs. LeRoy Papendick (Sally McClain) was hostess at a surprise shower at Eagle Point for Miss Worden. Twenty-five guests were present. Refreshments included a cake topped with bride and groom. The honored guests opened her many

lovely gifts.

Mrs. Jim McNeill of Prudenville was hostess at a shower last Wednesday at the Delbert Wheeler home on Eagle Point for Miss Lois Worden who spoke her marriage vows on Saturday. Fifteen guests were present.

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank the Red Cross for their help, and Dr. Hayes and our many good neighbors and friends here in Grayling, also Maple Forest and Frederic for the flowers and other contributions during the illness and death of our dear father.

The Arthur Fox family.

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## LUTHERAN CHURCH

## MISSOURI SYNOD

Rev. Ralph Claus of Trinity Lutheran Church, Gaylord, will conduct services here Sunday, March 5 at 7:30 at the Grayling Grange Hall. The public is cordially invited.

## ST. MARY'S CHURCH

## Special Lenten Services

Wednesday evening, 7:30 P. M.

Recitation of the Rosary

Sermon.

Benediction of the Blessed

Sacrament.

Friday evening, 7:30 P. M.

Stations of the Cross

Benediction of the Blessed

Sacrament.

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## LOVELLS NOTES

(Continued From Page 1) served at Jakes "Bay of Sweets" restaurant, March 25th. The bill will be \$1.25 per plate and the money to be applied to telephone fund. All are urged to attend as we do hope this project is completed.

Rev. Earl Olsen, wife and daughter of Coleman, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Olsen Sun-

day. Sorry communications were so incomplete so the community folks would know that Rev. Olsen was to have had services at the Chapel Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Gilbert drove over from Elk Rapids Friday and attended the 500 party. The Gilberts have enjoyed fishing the past month at Elk Lake and expect to return home Friday to stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. C. Stillwagon enjoyed the party sponsored by the

Eastern Star last Wednesday at Masonic Temple. A number of Lovells folks attended the meeting given at Frederic Town Hall Saturday night, sponsored by the Frederic Moms Club.

**Bits O' Talk**  
Among the patients at Mercy Hospital the past week are Mrs. Oscar Baker, Mrs. Sarah Bobenmoyer, Mrs. Llywn Doremire, Rudolph Feldhauser, Joseph Gardepe, Charles Hamsher, Clyde W. Smith, Mrs. Anine Sorenson and Mrs. Clarence Van Amburg. Mrs. J. L. Martin was released from the hospital on Monday. Ralph Rasmussen was treated at the hospital for a leg injury.

Notice—Womans Club will meet in the dining room of Shoppington Inn instead of at Mrs. Jack Cooks.

An infant daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Given on February 25.

Margot's Gift Shop is open every Saturday from noon til 9 P. M. and on Sunday from noon to 8 P. M. Many articles greatly reduced.

Week end guests at the home of Judge and Mrs. Ray Clement were her nephew, Charles Naylor, Miss Patricia Nichols, Miss Ann Foss and James Patterson of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peterson and son, Bill, of Alpena and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds of Midland spent the week end visiting Mrs. Wm. MacNeven. On Sunday they attended the funeral of a relative, Mrs. George Nolan in Rosebush.

One rollaway bed for sale, complete with mattress and cover, \$10

assured him it was very cold. "I think this about covers everything except that I'd like to say I've always enjoyed keeping the records, and hope I'll be able to continue for a few more years."

## MICHIGAN MIRROR

(Continued from front page) gan corporations that the state is unfriendly that corporations are confronted with an unfriendly administration, and that with other advantages elsewhere, Michigan no longer is inviting," states Lovett.

It is the judgment of Lovett, as spokesman for Michigan corporations, that we should thoroughly investigate the possibilities of economy in state and local government. Conceding that the sales tax amendment diverts 78 per cent of the sales tax revenues back to

home governments, Lovett believes it is embarrassing to some townships and local communities to have so much money they don't know what to do with it. Lovett would either do away with the sales tax and come forward with some other direct form of taxation or he would require local communities to assume many of the burdens the state is now attempting to carry with reduced revenues.

In conclusion let me say that there is no need for a new tax. If the time ever comes when we need new taxes in Michigan, let's be honest about our proposals.

"Let us try to say to the people of the state that by an indirect tax they are not paying a tax. Direct taxation is the only honest type of taxation. Then we are not building up a pyramid of concealed

charges against the consumer. A final shot: "I believe any impartial investigation would show that the state does not need any new revenues of any kind," said Mr. Lovett.

This in brief, is the case of the state corporations against the Williams corporation profits tax program.

## C. A. P. NEWS

## Grayling Squadron

The meeting of February 22 was devoted entirely to the planning of the maneuvers at Waters airport. A simulated search rescue was planned with a wrenne roast to end up the day's activities.

The Ski Mobile was to be used as a wrecked aircraft while upon its route to Opak Lake, the motor blew a valve through the head. Allen Leng and Lt. Bob Lozon had to then continue the trip on snowshoes. With the aid of the radio they were directed to Big Chub Lake, where Lt. Nicholas flew in with a Cub to fly each one back to Waters airport. Instead of a simulated rescue it turned out to be the real thing.

After everyone was back to the airport a short explanation on search and rescue was given to the cadets by Capt. Selskey. The maneuver was very successful. Every member who came had a good time.

Also at the last meeting a new cadet program was outlined, in which a complete cadet staff will be organized and they will work with the senior staff in the operation of the squadron.

Lt. Bob Lozon, Public Relations Officer

## COUNTY NEWS

Jerry Hinkle entertained a group of his friends Sunday afternoon, in honor of his 14th birthday.

The Morns party Saturday night was a big success. Lots of nice prizes and everyone had a good time.

Quite a few Frederic people attended the card party put on by the G. E. S. in Grayling.

Don't forget the party the ladies are giving their husbands Thursday night, March 16 at the Sportsmen's Club. This party had been planned for Friday, March 17, but the plans had to be changed as the school is having a dance that night.

Everybody wins at Hinkle's Grocery. Turn in your stamp books and get your nice premiums.

Kenny Burkhardt, Leo and George Hindschate called on their friends, Ray and Eva Horner at their home on the Manistee. Kenny recommends it as a good hike for reducing.

I wonder if Lefty Johnson ever found what he was looking for last week.

Gerald and Kenneth Newberry came home from Detroit Friday to visit their parents, the Roy Newberrys. Kenneth returning to Detroit by bus Sunday morning.

John Turner and wife motored to Gaylord Friday on business.

Mrs. Bessie Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pratt spent Sunday afternoon with Erve Roe in Gaylord. Mr. Roe is not too well at this writing.

The boys from Flint again visited their parents in Frederic over the week end. Gene Kaiser remaining in Frederic for a few days.

Roy and Gerald Newberry and Charles Post were in West Branch on business Monday.

Kruegers are still giving tickets on the U. S. Royal Waders and fly-rod, with a purchase of groceries.

Mr. and Mrs. Kratochvil spent the week end in Grand Rapids visiting her brother.

A real fish fry was enjoyed Monday evening with the four nice fish speared by Hans Jungman.

day for Montana on business. Mrs. Mertie Seines has been the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips were called to Rogers City weekend due to the death of Mrs. Phillips' mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kru and son, Richard, of Pontiac spent the week end visiting the former mother, Mrs. Minnie Kruze, and sisters, Mrs. Burton Williams and Mrs. John Leline. On their turn they were accompanied by their nephew, James Williams, who will be employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boers entertained a few friends on Monday evening in honor of their daughter, Peggy's 8th birthday. After Peggy opened gifts everyone was served homemade cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Essner family have moved into Roscommon occupying one of the Simeon apartments.

The South Branch Ladies will be held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dole Berry.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends and neighbors for their thoughtful kindness during our recent illness in our home at Mercy Hospital, also sisters and nurses for their services and kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Ba

## Homemakers to Study Family Business Procedure

Leaders of Crawford County Home Economics Extension group will meet Wednesday, March 15, to study the laws concerning "Property Ownership, Contracts, Business Partnerships" as they affect the family. The train school will begin at 10 A. M. will be held in the Grayling Township Hall, Grayling, Lucille Ketchum, Extension Specialist in Home Management present the lesson.

Many families fail to recognize the importance of doing business in a business-like manner with family members.

The purpose of this lesson is to provide information that will help to protect interests of the members of family when doing business with one another, or with outsiders who will aid in understanding the simple business procedure to be followed and the importance of service of a lawyer.

## County Agents Staff Busy in 1949

The following is a short summary of the activities from County Agricultural office for year of 1949. The County Agent visited 1,014 farms and home, the 4-H Club Agent 325 and Home Demonstration Agent 2, total 1,737.

Office calls: County Agent 1,200, Club Agent 210, Home Agent total 1,510.

Phone calls: County agent 7, Club agent 134, Home agent total 950.

News articles: County Agent 347, Club agent 58, Home agent 74, total 479.

Bulletins distributed, total 27.

Radio talks, County agent 4.

Meetings, County agent 1, Club agent 119, Home agent 1, Club agent 316 with attendance 749.

Tours: County agent 26, Club agent 3, total 29 with attendance of 849.

Achievement days, local county — 14 with attendance 2,200.

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